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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.191 and 41.31, Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's final rejection of the pending claims (Claims 1, 5, 13, 14, 23, 27, 29-31, 37, 42-47, 51-59 and 63-66) set forth in the Final Office Action mailed on August 24, 2007 in the above-identified application. A response was due on November 24, 2007. Applicant herewith petitions for a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action. With a one-month extension of time, a response is now due on December 24, 2007. Accordingly, this Notice is being timely filed.



The Notice of Appeal fee in the amount of \$250.00 for a small entity was previously paid when the application was originally appealed on December 22, 2006. Applicant understands that the Notice of Appeal fee has since increased to \$255.00 for a small entity as of September 30, 2007. A check in the amount of \$245.00 is included herewith to cover, the fee for a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time (\$60.00) for a small entity, the \$5.00 increase in the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal and the fee for submitting an Information Disclosure Statement (\$180.00). Please charge any other applicable charges relating to this Notice to Deposit Account No. 01-1785.

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